



Agreement for Academic Cooperation between Tula State L.N. Tolstoy Pedagogical University and Soka University

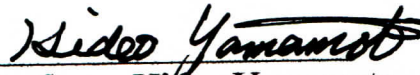
The aim of the agreement is to formalize existing cooperation in teaching, scholarship and research between Tula State L.N. Tolstoy Pedagogical University, Russian Federation and Soka University, Japan.

- Both parties shall be encouraged to undertake:
 - Exchange and mutual teaching of students at undergraduate and postgraduate levels.
 - Exchange and visits of academic and other staff (especially for sabbatical leave) and also the encouragement of visits of staff in both directions for the purpose of giving lectures, courses, and mutual discussion of research.
 - Exchange of research materials, periodicals, teaching materials and all relevant information.
 - Setting up of joint research projects.
- There will be regular discussion and contact between the Offices of International Affairs of the two Universities to encourage and review progress on visits and joint research, as mentioned in 1. Those two offices will be responsible for detailed implementation of the agreement.
- This agreement shall become effective as of the date of signatures of both parties. The agreement may be terminated by either party with a minimum of twelve months written notice.
- Alternation or termination of the agreement will only take place after discussions and negotiations have taken place between the two Universities.

Tula State L.N. Tolstoy Pedagogical University

Soka University


Professor Nadezhda Shaydenko
Rector


Professor Hideo Yamamoto
President

Date: 28.8.2008

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